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- ☐ 37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement by Assignee
☒ Information Disclosure Statement with Form PTO-1449 ☐ Copies of IDS Citations
☒ Preliminary Amendment
☒ Return Receipt Postcard
☐ Small Entity Statement(s) ☐ Statement filed in prior application. Status still proper and desired.
☐ Other

Claim For Foreign Priority

- ☐ Priority of _____ Application No. _____ filed on _____ is claimed under 35 U.S.C. § 119.
☐ The certified copy has been filed in prior application U.S. Application No. _____
☐ The certified copy will follow.

Extension of Time for Prior Pending Application

- ☐ A Petition for Extension of Time is being concurrently filed in the prior pending application. A copy of the Petition for Extension of Time is attached.

Amendments

- ☒ Amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence: "This is a
☒ Continuation ☐ Continuation-in-part ☐ Divisional
 application of copending prior
☒ Application No. 09/070,437 filed on April 30, 1998.
☐ International Application _____ filed on _____ which
 designated the United States,
 the disclosure of which is incorporated herein by reference."
☒ Cancel in this application original claims 23-42 of the prior application
 before calculating the filing fee.

Fee Calculation (37 CFR § 1.16)

	(Col. 1) NO. FILED	(Col. 2) NO. EXTRA	SMALL ENTITY RATE FEE	OR	LARGE ENTITY RATE FEE
BASIC FEE			\$380 \$	OR	\$760 \$760.00
TOTAL CLAIMS	<u>22</u> -20 = <u>02</u>		x09 = \$	OR	x18 = \$ 36.00
INDEP CLAIMS	<u>04</u> -03 = <u>01</u>		x39 = \$	OR	x78 = \$ 78.00
[] Multiple Dependent Claim Presented			\$130 = \$	OR	\$260 = \$
* If the difference in Col. 1 is less than zero, enter "0" in Col. 2.			Total \$	OR	Total \$874.00

☒ Check in the amount of \$~~4.00~~ is enclosed.

☒ The Commissioner is authorized to charge any fees beyond the amount enclosed which may be required, or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 50-0388 (Order No. KLA1P001C1).

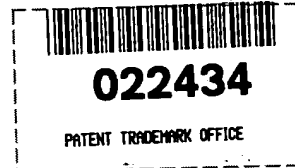
General Authorization for Petition for Extension of Time (37 CFR §1.136)

☒ Applicants hereby make and generally authorize any Petitions for Extensions of Time as may be needed for any subsequent filings. The Commissioner is also authorized to charge any extension fees under 37 CFR §1.17 as may be needed to Deposit Account No. 50-0388 (Order No. KLA1P001C1).

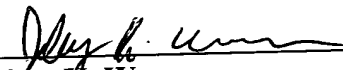
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